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In re Application of :  
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**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(a), filed December 21, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply to the final Office action mailed May 26, 2006, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months from its mailing date. Extensions of the time set for reply were available pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The application was held abandoned because, allegedly, no response was received to the final Office action. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 30, 2006.

A review of the application file history reveals that the a Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief and the requisite fee were filed on November 27, 2006, with a request for an extension of time within the third month.

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 3600, GAU 3661 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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